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In re Application of:	KISHI et al.	)	Examiner:	Ralph J. Gitomer
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Application No.:	10/776,970	)	Group Art Unit:	1655
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Filed:	February 11, 2004	)	Confirmation No.:	3712
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Docket No.:	3190-011-01	)	Customer No.:	33432

For: REAGENT SET AND METHOD FOR DETECTING CHOLESTEROL IN A HIGH DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN OR LOW DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN [AS AMENDED]

**AMENDMENT**

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June 7, 2006

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted with the accompanying Request for Continued Examination. A Petition for a Two-month Extension of Time and the requisite fees are being submitted herewith, thus making this submission of the Request for Continued Examination with an Amendment proper and timely.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.